

# Functional Independence English Language Arts

**Official Released Items** 

**Grade 5** 

Fall 2005 Official Released Items

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#### **Functional Independence - English Language Arts**

Assessment Component	Number of Core Items	Number of Released Items
Part 1 Accessing Print: Word Recognition	20	4
Part 2 Accessing Print: Text Comprehension	3 passages/ 7 items each	1 passage/ 7 items
Part 3 Expressing Ideas	1 prompt	1 prompt

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# PART 1 **ACCESSING PRINT: WORD RECOGNITION**

**DIRECTIONS:** Look at the picture. Then, choose the word that **BEST** tells about the picture.

R1	Caro	I has math homework. She puts her math in her backpack.
	A	chair
	В	book
	С	class
R2	Toda class	y is the first day of school. Tim's new is standing by the room door.
	A	teacher
	В	grade
	С	shoe
R3	Denr	nis rides the bus to school. He quietly in his seat.
	A	jumps
	В	buys
	С	sits

**R4** Dan likes to eat toast. He eats it every \_\_\_\_\_.

- **A** bowl
- **B** milk
- **C** morning





Do not continue until instructed to do so.

# PART 2 **ACCESSING PRINT: TEXT COMPREHENSION**

**DIRECTIONS:** Read the passage. Then, answer the questions that follow. Choose the **BEST** answer for each question.

#### **Released Passage**

### **Having a Bake Sale**

The fifth grade is having a bake sale. The students will sell the food in the school cafeteria. They want to make money so they can go on a field trip.

Ms. Doyle made the chart below. The chart tells students what job to do at the bake sale. The chart also has notes for the students.

Tuesday, May 5 - Bake Sale Jobs and Worke
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11:00 A.M 11:45 A.M.	12:00 P.M 1:00 P.M.	1:00 P.M 1:30 P.M.		
Set up the table	Sell the food	Count the money	Put extra food in bags	Clean the table
Ann	Lilly	Sally	Lilly	Ann
Joe	Bobby	Ali	Bobby	Joe
Jan	Ben	Omar	Ben	Jan

#### **Notes:**

- Sally, Ali, and Omar will count the money made at the bake sale. They will write the total in the notebook. Then they will take the money to the principal.
- Lilly, Bobby, and Ben will put the leftover food into bags. Then they will take the extra food to Ms. Doyle's room.

**R5** 

On what day is the bake sale?

	A	Monday
	В	Tuesday
	С	Friday
R6	What	is this chart mostly about?
	Α	the kinds of foods the students will sell
	В	where the students will go for their field trip
	С	who will work at the bake sale and what jobs they will do
<b>R7</b>	Who	will sell the food at the bake sale?
	A	Lilly, Bobby, and Ben
	В	Ann, Joe, and Jan
	С	Sally, Ali, and Omar

What is Omar's job at the bake sale?

**R8** 

	A	He will put the food in bags.
	В	He will set up the table.
	С	He will count the money.
R9	At w	hat time will the students begin to sell food at the bake sale?
	A	1:30 P.M.
	В	12:00 P.M.
	С	1:00 P.M.
R10	In th	is chart, what does the word <u>total</u> mean?
	A	all the money
	В	all the food
	С	all the students

- **R11** Where will the students take the money from the bake sale?
  - **A** to Ali
  - **B** to Ms. Doyle
  - **C** to the principal





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# PART 3 **EXPRESSING IDEAS**

**DIRECTIONS:** Read the prompt. Complete your response to the prompt on the student answer document. Then, use the checklist to review and proofread your response.

**R12** Released Prompt: Tell about a time when someone helped you do something. Be sure your story has a beginning, middle, and end.

CHECKLIST
<b>DIRECTIONS:</b> Use this checklist as you review and proofread your response to the prompt.
Did I answer each part of the prompt?
Did I support my ideas with details?
Did I organize my ideas and details clearly?
Did I review my response one more time to make sure it is just the way I want it?
Did I put my response on the student answer document?

## Scoring Rubric - Grades 3-8 and 11

	Writing	Drawing
4	The writing focuses on the topic. The topic may not be explicitly stated, but can be easily inferred by the reader. The text includes appropriate details and/or examples based on the student's prior knowledge and experience. There is a clear organizational structure with transitions between ideas, resulting in a unified whole. The writing demonstrates use of mostly precise word choice and syntax. Errors in language conventions (e.g., grammar, spelling, punctuation, and capitalization) do not interfere with understanding.	The drawing focuses on the topic. Pertinent details and/or examples based on the student's prior knowledge and experience are: (1) clearly present in the drawing; (2) present in the drawing and enhanced through written explanation by the student and/or transcribed oral explanation by the assessment administrator; or (3) provided solely through written and/or transcribed oral explanation. The visual text presents a logical organization and arrangement of figures. Errors in language and visual conventions (e.g., composition, perspective, shape, and clarity) do not interfere with understanding.
3	The writing is mostly on topic. The topic may not be explicitly stated, but can be inferred with little effort by the reader. There is some development of the topic with appropriate details and/or examples. The text reflects a mostly organized structure and may include transitions between ideas. The writing demonstrates some attention to word choice and syntax. Errors in language conventions (e.g., grammar, spelling, punctuation, and capitalization) may slightly interfere with understanding.	The drawing is mostly on topic. Some details and/or examples are (1) present in the drawing; (2) mostly present in the drawing and supported through written and/or transcribed oral explanation; or (3) are provided solely through written and/or transcribed oral explanation. The visual text presents an attempt at logical organization and arrangement of figures. Errors in language and visual conventions (e.g., composition, perspective, shape, and clarity) may slightly interfere with understanding.
2	The writing is somewhat on topic. If not explicitly stated, the topic may not be easily inferred. There is limited development with simplistic details and/or examples. The focus may wander. The writing lacks a clear organizational structure, and ideas may be repetitive. Errors in language conventions (e.g., grammar, spelling, punctuation, and capitalization) may make understanding difficult.	The drawing is somewhat on topic, but is developed with limited details and/or examples that are (1) present in the drawing; (2) present in the drawing and supported through minimal written and/or transcribed oral explanation; or (3) presented solely through minimal written and/or transcribed oral explanation. The visual text lacks a clear structure and arrangement of figures. Errors in language and visual conventions (e.g., composition, perspective, shape, and clarity) may make understanding difficult.
1	The writing shows some evidence of an attempt to respond to the prompt, although there is little or no development of the topic and little direction. The vocabulary may be limited to one or two words, not a complete sentence. The text may show minimal sound/letter correspondence and use of language conventions. Errors may make understanding nearly impossible.	The drawing shows some evidence of an attempt to respond to the prompt, yet it presents little or no development of the topic and is supported with little to no written or transcribed oral explanation. The visual text lacks direction or organization. Errors in language and/or visual conventions (e.g., composition, perspective, shape, and clarity) may make understanding nearly impossible.

**Not ratable if:** A – off topic

**B** – illegible

**C** – written in a language other than English

**D** – blank/refused to respond



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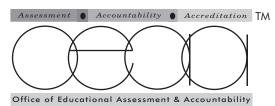
Below is a list of the Extended Grade Level Content Expectations (EGLCE) for each released item found in this booklet. The chart contains the EGLCE code, a brief description of what is measured, and the correct answer for each released item.

Because the assessment was administered during the *fall* of the school year, only content from the *previous* grade level was measured on the assessment. For example, items eligible for the Grade 5 assessment will measure Grade 4 EGLCE.

Full descriptions of the EGLCE contained in the chart below are available for review and download at **www.mi.gov/mi-access**.

Released Item Number	EGLCE Code	ASSESSMENT COMPONENT or Abbreviated Extended GLCE Descriptor	Answer Key
		ACCESSING PRINT	
		PART 1 - WORD RECOGNITION	
R1	R.WS.04.EG03	Recognize frequently encountered words	В
R2	R.WS.04.EG03	Recognize frequently encountered words	А
R3	R.WS.04.EG03	Recognize frequently encountered words	С
R4	R.WS.04.EG03	Recognize frequently encountered words	С
		PART 2 - TEXT COMPREHENSION	
		Functional Passage	
R5	R.CM.04.EG02	Identify main ideas and details	В
R6	R.CM.04.EG02	Identify main ideas and details	С
R7	R.CM.04.EG02	Identify main ideas and details	A
R8	R.CM.04.EG02	Identify main ideas and details	С
R9	R.CM.04.EG02	Identify main ideas and details	В
R10	R.WS.04.EG07	Use context clues	A
R11	R.CM.04.EG02	Identify main ideas and details	С
		EXPRESSING IDEAS	Score Points Possible
R12	W.GN.04.EG01	Write/draw personal narrative	4





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